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## RAISE RECALLS "GAS" HISTORY

Advance of 15 Cents on Thousand  
by Rushville Co., Arouses Mem-  
ories of Early Days.

### GOT SOLAR PLEXUS IN INFANCY

But People Awake Too Late to Re-  
strict Corporation and Supreme  
Court Upheld It.

The notice which is being served by the Rushville Natural Gas Company on its consumers that a rate for forty cents per thousand, instead of the present rate, twenty-five cents a thousand, will be charged after October first, has recalled the history of the gas companies in Rushville and how conditions came to pass that make it possible for the oldest gas company in Rushville to go any limit it desires in charging for its gas supply.

When gas was first discovered here, the people virtually went wild as they did in all parts of Indiana when the boom in the gas belt started. The Rushville Natural Gas Company was capitalized at a hundred thousand dollars, but before the company was well under operation it had been "stung" by Col. Doxey of Anderson, a "J. Rufus Wallingford" of the latter day.

Col. Doxey came to Rushville with a proposition to install a gas plant for a hundred thousand silver "plunks." Previous to this offer a man had been here and agreed to install a plant for fifty-seven thousand dollars. After Col. Doxey's very "liberal" offer had been made, a friend of the president of the newly organized gas company came down and looked over the field and said he could put in the plant for a figure which was more than forty thousand dollars less than Doxey's figures.

But Col. Doxey pursued his "J. Rufus" methods and won. Col. Doxey doffed his lustrous plug hat, delicately removed his eye glasses, smiled blandly and assumed a "would-you-gentlemen-doubt-my-word" attitude. Would they doubt Col. Doxey's word—Col. Doxey, promoter and financier, a man with the money to put across a hundred thousand dollar gas company? Why, of course not, preposterous.

"Will you gentlemen believe this hayseed here from my town?" asked the colonel incredulously. Then he began the business of pounding himself on the breast viciously. "Would you take his word in preference to mine—I who am a recognized financier, a man who has the money?"

The plug hat, the bland smile, the big bluff and the sweet-scented words beat the "hayseed" from Anderson, as Col. Doxey dubbed him, to the contract and was also the method by which the snug sum of forty thousand dollars or better was "eased" from the unsophisticated stockholders of the new gas company.

But Col. Doxey's friends in the gas company said: "But look what this man offers to do!" True he did make offers. He agreed to take forty-three thousand dollars worth of the stock. Sure, he would take it, he was a man of his word, and he did take it. But there was a sort of a general understanding between the colonel and the stockholders—understand this did not rise to the dignity of an agreement—that the stockholders should be allowed to buy the stock up whenever they were able and had made enough money in dividends to do so.

Anyway the colonel got the contract and installed the plant, and then—a little item that was forgotten—the company was "led" for twenty thousand more to put in the

## WILL PREACH IN NEW YORK

Rev. C. C. Black Will Fill Pulpit on  
Visit East.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Black left yesterday for a three weeks' visit with home folks and friends in Eastern Pennsylvania and New York, says the Milroy Press. Mr. Black has accepted an invitation to supply the pulpit of Washington Heights Methodist Episcopal church in New York City the first two Sundays in September, and will preach in Gethsemane M. E. church, Philadelphia, Pa., the coming Sabbath. They will return to Milroy for the regular church services of Sunday, September 15, and will leave for Jeffersonville, Ind., the following Tuesday to attend the sessions of the annual conference.

## VICTIM OF CAR ACCIDENT DIES

Thomas Petty, Whose Leg Was Sev-  
ered Yesterday, Succumbs This  
Morning at 8:40 O'clock.

### CHANCES FOR RECOVERY POOR

Thomas Petty, 840 West Second street, died this morning at twenty minutes to nine from injuries he sustained yesterday at noon when he was hit by a box car near the Ninth street Big Four crossing while a "flying switch" was being made and his right leg cut off near the hip. Petty lingered throughout the night, but this morning it was apparent to the attending physicians that he could not survive the accident.

His system was not able to resist the shock incident to the accident. The injury resulted in the functions of his kidneys being disabled, and when this fact was discovered, the physicians said there was no chance for him. They thought he would die yesterday before he could be removed home, but after the amputation they declared the chances were about fifty to one against him. They say that the shock was the cause of his death because there was not enough blood lost for that to have been the cause.

The body will be taken to Blocher, Scott county tomorrow morning for the funeral and burial. He is survived by a widow and a year-old son, Darwin. He was 24 years old.

## CIRCUS DUE TOMORROW

Sun Brothers Show Will Arrive in  
Rushville in Morning.

The Sun Brothers circus which is to exhibit in Rushville tomorrow will pitch its tents on the West Third street commons, on the same grounds which has accommodated the circuses in the city for several years. It has not been definitely learned as yet what time the train which comes in over the Big Four lines, will arrive in the city, but it is known that a small army of boys have already planned to be on hand bright and early so that no part of the day's program will be missed. The show exhibited in Newcastle today.

### TO BE ISSUED AT NOON.

Tomorrow's Daily Republican will be issued from the presses promptly at noon so as to afford the employees of the Republican Company an opportunity to attend the county fair Thursday afternoon.

## FIX DATES FOR REMONSTRANCE

The City Council in Regular Session  
Names Time on Several Pro-  
posed Sidewalk Improvements.

### GRANT SEVERAL PETITIONS

Nothing of Great Importance Comes  
Before Meeting and Routine  
Business is Transacted.

The city council met in regular session last night with all the members present. Not much business of importance came before the meeting. Several petitions were granted and the dates set for hearing remonstrators on many proposed improvements.

A petition signed by Walter Perkins and other property owners in Hannah street asking for cement curb and gutter on the east side of Hannah street from Second to Third was granted. The preliminary resolution for the improvement was adopted and September 10 set for hearing remonstrators.

Arval Herkless, who has the contract for sidewalks in Market and Spencer streets, was granted farther time in which to complete the improvements. The work was to have been completed by September 7, but the time was advanced until November 1. The reason for the delay is difficulty has been experienced in finding an alley line in Market street. The question of a grade in these two streets was left with the street and alley committee.

The preliminary assessment role of the Hannah street sidewalk improvement was adopted and September 3 set for the time of hearing remonstrators. The preliminary resolutions for the improvements in George, Cherry and Maple streets were adopted and September 10 set as the time for remonstrators.

The finance committee reported that the treasurer's books for July had been found correct. The report was ordered placed on file.

The question of street repairs in Posey lane was brought up. It was planned to repair the lane with crushed stone, but it was not known whether or not it was in the city limits. The city attorney will determine if the lane is in the corporation and if it is it will be repaired. The clerk was ordered to buy two car loads of gravel for the city streets.

The usual council bills were allowed.

## ALLEGED "DIP" RELEASED

Mrs. Alec Trowbridge Fails to Ap-  
pear Against Husband.

Alec Trowbridge, a fair follower, whose wife charged he was a pick-pocket, has been released by the police. He was taken into custody after his wife "peached" on him and said he was a thief, "dip" and most any other term she could recall. After Trowbridge was stowed away in jail, the alleged Mrs. Trowbridge disappeared. When she did not return to appear against her husband, the police released him.

## THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday.  
Slightly cooler tonight.

## EXHORTS THEM NOT TO TARRY

Dr. W. E. Biederwolf Urges Prepara-  
tions For Evangelistic Cam-  
paign be Started at Once.

### MAN TO ERECT TABERNACLE

F. B. Stearns, Who Will Superintend  
Outside City, Confers With  
Carthage Ministers.

The Rev. John B. Meacham of the First Presbyterian church, president of the Rushville Ministerial Association, has received a letter from Dr. W. E. Biederwolf, who will begin a county wide evangelistic campaign here in September, in which the evangelist urges that the ministers and church workers begin to prepare for the revival at once because not much time intervenes.

Dr. Biederwolf wrote that he would send some of his booklets regarding the arrangements and preparations to be made for the kind of a campaign he carries on. He says that wherever the instructions in the booklet disagree with something he has said in conversation with the Rushville ministers, that the conversation be taken as final, because he has made concessions to Rushville.

Dr. Biederwolf writes that he will send a man of his own to superintend the work of erecting the mammoth tabernacle. He says it might be well, however, to place the booklet containing the plans for his tabernacles in the hands of local carpenters who will be employed, so they may be familiarized with the kind of building it will be.

In his letter Dr. Biederwolf exhorted the Rushville ministers not to tarry in their preparations for the meeting. He asserted that preparations should be started at once. He suggested that the special committees for the campaign be appointed at once and that a typewritten list be sent to him at once.

Dr. Biederwolf has asked the Rev. F. B. Stearns, who is associated with him in the work of Interdenominational Association of Evangelists, to organize and superintend the work of the county, outside of the city of Rushville—this will be in the hands of the Ministerial Association of the city—and yesterday the Rev. Mr. Stearns and the Rev. J. B. Meacham went to Carthage to advise with them over the selection of their evangelist.

When Dr. Biederwolf and the ministers from here visited Carthage two weeks ago the Carthage people thought they would only need an evangelist and his singer, but interest has deepened to such an extent that they now want a party of four, the evangelist, his singer and two helpers. They instructed Mr. Stearns to secure the Rev. John S. Hamilton and party of Cleveland, Ohio, for their meeting if possible.

On their return from Carthage Mr. Meacham and Mr. Stearns went to Morristown and had a conference with the Rev. George B. Walls of the Methodist church, the other pastors being out of town. The Rev. Mr. Walls expressed himself as being very anxious that Morristown should be included in the great campaign, and he insisted that the Rev. Mr. Meacham and others come back again on Thursday for a union conference with the various churches. Morristown wants to be known as one of the "Red Centers" of the big campaign.

Great Britain's present national debt exceeds £724,000.

The British patent office receive thirty thousand applications per annum.

## W. F. GORDON PRESIDES

Local Man is President of 68th Indi-  
ana Survivors.

William F. Gordon of this city, president of the Sixty-Eighth Indiana Regimental Association, presided at the annual reunion which began in Greensburg yesterday. Mr. Gordon responded for the surviving members of the regiment after the Rev. H. H. Sheldon, pastor of the Greensburg Centenary M. E. church, had delivered the address of welcome. Last night a camp fire was held at the church and today the veterans were to be treated to an automobile ride.

## THINGS REVERSED ON SQUIRE RICHEY

Milroy Justice Given Taste of His  
Own Medicine and Addresses  
Other Fellow "Yo' Honor."

### IS FINED FOR INTOXICATION

Things were reversed on Squire Ben Richey of Milroy today. He was the victim and not the judge. Many a time has the squire had a prisoner in "Honor's" court, but this morning the universe was not operating in its usual path for Squire Ben was the prisoner. He got a taste of his own medicine when he was arraigned in police court on a charge of public intoxication. Squire Ben pleaded guilty to the charge and stood a fine of a dollar and costs without a whimper. His fine was stayed by Jesse Harlow.

The Milroy justice of the peace has heard many a celebrated case in his court at Milroy, but never before was he compelled to address any person as "Your Honor." Heretofore all that honor stuff has been coming his way. Squire Richey heard the famous chicken stealing case in Milroy a few years ago. It was he who threw the scare into the police about a near murder at Milroy this summer. Hereafter Squire Ben will work in his own domain.

## CAMPAIGN FOR PUBLIC HEALTH

H. E. Barnard Outlines Plan Which  
Will Better Conditions And  
Employes in Food Plants.

H. E. Barnard, chief chemist of the state board of health, is having a slip printed to be inclosed in the general correspondence from his office, which he proposes to use in a campaign for better health conditions among employes of food manufacturing and distributing establishments, says the Indianapolis News. The printed slip will call attention to the Indiana law which forbids the employment in such places of persons suffering from tuberculosis or other transmissible diseases.

The letters will go to all classes of persons, from food manufacturers to food users, and by them Mr. Barnard hopes to arouse the interest of individuals in enforcing the law. Persons knowing of any one being employed in food establishments where they are a menace to health of patrons of the place are requested by the slips to communicate the fact to the local health commissioner. During the last few weeks the department has compelled a number of employers to discharge persons from hotels and restaurants where, the department held, they were a menace.

## FIRST DAY CROWD IS BIG SURPRISE

Despite Threatening Skies Many  
People Turn Out For Opening  
of Rush County Fair.

### SEVERAL AWARDS ARE MADE

Track is Heavy From Recent Rains  
But Fair Weather is Promised  
For Tomorrow.

Although the weather was threatening today the crowd at the Rush county fair today was up to the standard of the usual Wednesday crowd. People began to go early this morning, even though the skies were overhung with clouds and this afternoon, when the sun began to peep out from behind the clouds for brief periods, many Rushville people went out to the grounds.

The weather indications tomorrow are for a fair and cool day. If the weather prognosticator is correct, there will undoubtedly be a record breaking crowd on the grounds. Thursday here, as it is at other fairs, is always a banner day of the week.

The rains of the last few days have made it impossible for farmers to work in the fields. This led to the belief that many farmers would go today and many more would attend tomorrow.

Thursday and Friday will be the days on which the most of the Rushville people will attend. Practically every store in Rushville will close tomorrow at noon until evening, and a great majority of them will close on Friday afternoon during the same hours. Most of them will open at five o'clock. The offices in the court house will close at noon both Thursday and Friday.

The superintendents of the departments began to carry out the program today as usual. The awards were made in floral hall today. It is said that the entries in the fancy work department this year are more pretentious than ever before.

The program in the show ring was started off on time this morning despite the rain which fell. The entries in the horse department are said to be larger than in many years, and the class of the entries is above the standard. The sheep and cattle departments are also well filled. The agricultural hall presents a beautiful sight. The awards were to be made in this department today.

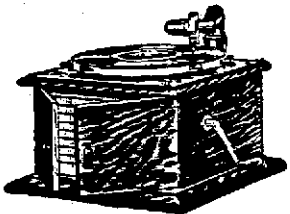
The speed department this year promised more than any other department. The racing was begun this afternoon, according to schedule, but the track was too heavy to make any brilliant time. The heavy rain of Monday night made the track in very poor condition after a great amount of work had been done to put it in condition. It was considerably better today, but there was no warm sun to dry it off as it should be.

The free attraction was all set up yesterday evening and ready for the first exhibition this afternoon. The dash of Mile La Bella down the fifty foot incline in a miniature automobile only to be hurled up in the air and caught by Hurley, who hung on a trapeze suspended thirty feet in the air was a thrilling display of nerve and daring.

The fair grounds is crowded with concessions and shows, which are above the standard for the fair. A dog and pony show there is a more pretentious one than was ever at the local fair. There are two vaudeville shows on the grounds.

Tomorrow's race program will include:

2:12 pace	\$300.00
2:15 trot	300.00
2:25 three-year-old pace	200.00
County road pace	50.00

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**Hargrove & Mullin,****W. T. DURBIN**Late Portrait of Republi-  
can Nominee For Governor.**GRAND JURORS CLAP  
HANDS OVER VERDICT****Indictments Against Becker and  
Six Others.**

New York, Aug. 21.—For the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the grand jury has indicted Lieut. Charles Becker, Jack Sullivan, William Shaprio, Louis Rosenberg, Frank Muller, Frank Cirofici and Harry Horowitz. Rosenberg and Horowitz have not yet been caught. The indictment against Becker supercedes the former one in order to include the lieutenant with the others formally named as the murderers. Becker will likely be tried first, although the plans may necessitate taking up first the case of Frank Muller (Whitey Lewis).

Preceding and following the trial of Lieutenant Becker, Supreme Court Justice Goff, sitting as a committing magistrate, will conduct a John Doe investigation. This inquiry is expected to strengthen the cases against Becker and the other defendants.

Schepps Corroborates Rose. The indictments were filed after the grand jury had received from Sam Schepps perfect corroboration of Jack Rose's confession accusing Becker, and after hearing Big Jack Zelig, the gang leader, testify that he furnished the crew of murderers to please Becker and to keep Becker from sending him to Sing Sing for fourteen years on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Their testimony clinched the cases. The grand jury was so pleased with its work that its members vigorously applauded the announcement that the vote had been unanimous. The next business of the grand jury will be to indict two of Becker's staff for oppression and perjury. These men are accused of having placed a pistol in Zelig's pocket so as to make it appear that Zelig was carrying a concealed weapon, and to make Zelig therefore a helpless tool of Becker.

A Decreasing Death Rate. Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—The July death rate for the state, according to figures compiled by the state board of health, was 12.1 a thousand population, as compared with 12.7 for the same month last year. The total number of deaths reported was 2,810.

Indiana Postmasters in Session. Marion, Ind., Aug. 21.—The eighth annual convention of the Indiana State League of Postmasters opened here today for a three days' session. Mayor Wilson welcomed the postmasters and the response was made by President Bush of the postmasters.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets, Darius Downey, of Newburg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effective and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by All Dealers.

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**REPAIRS**

**WEATHER EVERYWHERE**

Observations of United States weather bureau taken at 3 p. m. yesterday follow:

**Temp. Weather.**

New York.... 63 Clear

Boston..... 64 Pt. Cloudy

Denver..... 56 Pt. Cloudy

San Francisco. 52 Cloudy

St. Paul..... 60 Pt. Cloudy

Chicago..... 72 Cloudy

Indianapolis.. 76 Pt. Cloudy

St. Louis..... 78 Clear

New Orleans.. 83 Clear

Washington... 78 Cloudy

**CRASH CLAIMS  
MANY VICTIMS****Marshall Meeting Marred By  
Accident.****BIG GRAND STAND COLLAPSES**

More Than 450 Persons Were Carried Down With Wreckage When Notification Ceremonies Were Interrupted by Sound of Rending Timbers—Of Those in the Wreck Nearly a Hundred Received Injuries.

Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—When the grandstand behind the speakers' platform gave way and sank to the ground yesterday afternoon during the Marshall notification exercises, held in the open air at Vermont and Meridian streets, nearly 100 persons were injured, several probably fatally. In the list of injured were state officials, Democratic organization officials and many private citizens. Approximately one-third of the injured persons were women. Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, chairman of the notification committee, had proceeded with his address for approximately ten minutes, when the great stand, sixty feet long and thirty feet wide, swayed twice and then sank to the pavement, carrying with it more than 450 persons.

Among the more seriously injured were the following:

Mrs. E. B. Hartsock, injured internally, serious; Jacob Woessner, Marion county sheriff, internal injuries, jaw broken; Hugh H. Ranje, pelvic arch fractured; William H. Payne, Martinsville, county clerk of Martin county, left leg broken, injured internally; Lewis Helman, injured internally; John Flaspamp, injured internally; Thomas S. Engle, Losantsville, fractured hip, broken wrist, injured about chest and head, may not recover; O. N. Henderson, Montezuma, leg broken, bruised, may die; David Strouse, Rockville, left leg broken, back sprained, serious; Thomas Jordan, legs injured and right hip fractured; J. M. Higgins, chest crushed, serious; Joseph Beyer, ribs broken; Carl Viebaker, chest crushed and ribs broken; Lee Stringer, injured internally; J. E. McCullough, Greenfield, back injured severely; Louis Sorton, Martinsville, bruised seriously; Benjamin Bosse, Evansville, internal injuries; State Senator Levi P. Harlan, right arm broken near shoulder; Frank Mills, back wrenched; Mrs. Henry Green, chest crushed, serious; C. J. Murphy, Brookston, sprained ankle and severe bruises; Major G. V. Menzies, Evansville, bruised and shocked; W. S. Marshall, Marion, uncle of Governor Marshall, ankle strained and foot bruised, hip strained; William H. Vollmer, state treasurer, severely bruised and cut about knees; Thomas W. Brolley, state statistician, both legs badly bruised and cut and deep cut over left temple; W. A. Dehority, chief examiner for state board of accounts, back wrenched and badly shaken.

Where not otherwise indicated, those named above reside at Indianapolis.

**Rescue Work Was Prompt.**

Many on the speakers' stand leaped down into the wreckage and began the fight to save those caught beneath the boards. The uninjured who had gone down in the crash disentangled themselves, and many of them turned immediately to the work of rescue. A moving picture man, with his machine set at the edge of the speakers' stand, trained his lenses on the scene in the street until the ambulances had left none of the injured in the splintered mass on the pavement.

Policemen formed a cordon about the wrecked platform and ropes were stretched before the injured all had been taken from the debris. Then the gongs of ambulances made a riot of noise in all the approaches to the place and as fast as the ambulances reached the scene they were loaded with the injured and started out across the city to the hospitals, hotels and private dwellings. The Indiana Democratic club was converted into a temporary hospital, and practically every room was filled with the injured, stretched out across the rugs and the beds in the upper rooms. The adjoining plant of the Bobbs-Merrill company also was opened to the injured, and many were cared for there.

Meanwhile the speakers on the platform were attempting to keep down the excitement in the crowd. Judge Parker turned around from viewing the chaos directly at his feet and announced to the crowd that the word had gone out that no one was seriously injured.

Governor Marshall, opening his address after the work of caring for the injured was well under way, vehemently spoke of the regrets he felt because there had been any notification exercises.

"With all the glory that has attended this meeting and with all the enthusiasm it has engendered, I am distinctly sorry that any notification ceremonies were planned, in the face of this appalling accident," he said. "I am happy to repeat, however, that there are said to be no serious injuries."

Mrs. Marshall, sitting at the right of the speakers' stand with a group of women guests, watched the spectacle with horror in her eyes.

**ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE**Late Portrait of the Progres-  
sive Candidate For Governor.**THE PRESIDENT AND  
CONGRESS AT OUTS****Determined Deadlock Over the  
Commerce Court.**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 21.—According to house leaders, President Taft's second veto of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which will be sent in a message to congress today, will find the house prepared to pass the bill again over his veto.

As the bill went to the president it provided for the abolishment of the commerce court, a procedure to which the president again refuses to agree.

The house has approved the conference report on the naval appropriation bill providing for one battleship and subsidiary auxiliaries. The report had already been adopted in the senate, and the bill now goes to the president.

The conferees on the postoffice appropriation bills reported an agreement on all propositions except the parcels post. A partial agreement was also reached on that section of the bill, and it is practically certain that the conferees will be ready to report later.

**JURY "FIXING"****Is Alleged in Affidavit of a Dismissed  
Venireman.**

Greensburg, Ind., Aug. 21.—An attempt to corrupt a prospective juror in the Price murder trial, in progress in the Decatur circuit court here, is charged in an affidavit filed in a justice's court by Prosecutor Sapugh. The affidavit was signed by James W. Clemons, a venireman, who was examined and excused.

Clemons charges that he was approached by Albert Fisher, a prominent contractor of this city, who offered to pay him \$200 if he would vote to acquit Price. Fisher was arrested and gave a \$500 bond for his appearance for trial. Fisher denied the charge. He said that it was merely spite work.

**A Warm Welcome Home.**

Muncie, Ind., Aug. 21.—Orville Harrold, the Delaware county farmer boy who has become a grand opera star, has yielded to scores of requests and has consented to give a concert to old friends and neighbors here Sept. 5. Harrold is visiting his parents after returning from London. He is now at a northern Indiana lake to fish and rest.

**Father Curran Honored.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 21.—Colonel Roosevelt was among those who took part in the celebration here today in honor of his friend Father Curran, the well known arbiter of coal mine labor disputes. The colonel's speech dealt primarily with moral issues, and only in a general way did he touch on politics.

**Victim of Son's Careless Shot.**

Brookville, Ind., Aug. 21.—While out hunting Henry Laker, living in the western part of the county, was accidentally shot by his son, Anthony Laker, in the leg and bled to death before medical assistance could arrive.

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**YUAN INCENSES  
THE ASSEMBLY****President of China Is Bitterly  
Denounced.****IMPEACHMENT MAY FOLLOW**

In Answer to Demands For Explanation of the Recent Execution of Popular Generals, Yuan Sends a Letter to the National Assembly Which Instead of Giving Satisfaction, Only Stirs the Fires of Discontent.

Peking, Aug. 21.—To the demand of the assembly for an explanation of the execution of Generals Chang and Feng, President Yuan Shih Kai has sent a written reply. In his letter the president refuses to communicate the details of General Chang's offenses on the ground that the safety of the army is involved. It was, he says, a question of military discipline and did not concern the civil power, but if the assembly desired he would apply to Vice President Li Yuan Hung to send documentary evidence and witnesses.

The members of the assembly became greatly excited at the conclusion of the reading of the letter and demanded to know what "this fresh violation of the law" meant. Denunciations of President Yuan were mingled in the uproar and his impeachment was again demanded.

The report cabled to the United States that Dr. Sun Yat Sen had been assassinated was a canard. Dr. Sun was not in Peking at the time of the supposed assassination. The leader of the "new China" movement had been informed that a plot existed against his life and remained in Shanghai.

**Another Victim of Lightning.**

Noblesville, Ind., Aug. 21.—James Myers, fifty-six years old, was killed by a stroke of lightning while at work with a thrashing machine on the farm of George Todd.

**Suicide of Young Woman.**

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 21.—Miss Jennie Gentry, twenty-three years old, committed suicide here by taking poison. She was despondent over ill health.

**THE NATIONAL GAME****Contests in the Three Big Leagues  
Noted Here at a Glance.****National League.**

At St. Louis— R.H.E.  
New York... 0 0 3 0 1 0 1 0 0—5 10 0  
St. Louis... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 10 0  
Wiltse, Meyers and Wilson; Harmon and Wingo.

At Chicago— R.H.E.  
Philadelphia 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 2  
Chicago.... 4 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—6 8 2  
Alexander and Killifer; Lavender and Archer.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
Phil'd'phia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0—3 4 6  
Chicago... 0 2 4 3 1 2 1 0—13 15 1  
Moore and Doolin; Reulbach, Smith and Archer and Cotter.

At Cincinnati— R.H.E.  
Boston.... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 1  
Cincinnati. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0—4 8 0  
Dickson and Kling; Suggs and McLean and Clarke.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
Boston.... 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—4 9 1  
Cincinnati. 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 1  
Donnelly, Rariden and Kling; Benton, Froume and Clarke.

At Pittsburgh— R.H.E.  
Brooklyn... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2 8 0  
Pittsburg... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1—3 9 0  
Stack and Curtis; Miller, Robinson and Hendrix and Gibson.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
Brooklyn... 2 6 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—9 13 0  
Pittsburg... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 6 0  
Ragon, Erwin and Miller; O'Toole, Warner, Ferry and Kelly.

**American League.**

At New York— R.H.E.  
St. Louis... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0—4 10 1  
New York... 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—3 8 1  
Allison and Alexander; Ford and Sweeney.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
St. Louis... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1 4 1  
New York... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2 8 2  
Mitchell and Alexander; McConnell and Sweeney.

At Washington— R.H.E.  
Cleveland... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2 10 2  
Washington. 0 0 0 0 1 2 1 0—4 7 0  
Gregg, Mitchell and O'Neill; Johnson and Ainsmith.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
Cleveland... 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 0 2  
Washington. 0 2 0 0 0—2 3 2  
(Called to allow Cleveland to make train.) Gregg and O'Neill; Cashion and Henry.

At Boston— R.H.E.  
Detroit.... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—2 7 2  
Boston.... 0 0 2 0 2 2 0 0—6 8 4  
Dubuc, Stange and Koche; Wood and Cady.

At Philadelphia— R.H.E.  
Chicago.... 0 0 0 3 0 0 3 0 0—6 6 0  
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 6 3  
Cleotte, Schalk and Easterly; Coombs and Lapp.

Second Game— R.H.E.  
Chicago.... 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—3 9 0  
Philadelphia 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 7 0  
White, Peters, Walsh and Kuhn; Bender, Houck, Thomas and Lapp.

**American Association.**

At Milwaukee, 2; Louisville, 0.

At Minneapolis, 3; Toledo, 2.

At St. Paul, 5; Columbus, 10.



## Second Interpretation of Registration is Written

Many new questions have arisen in regard to the operation of the voters' registration law and the corrupt practices act, which are in use this year for the first time, and Fred A. Sims, Republican state chairman, and Bernard Korbly, Democratic state chairman, agreed to submit all of these questions to W. H. Thompson, Republican, and Henry Warrum, Democrat, attorneys, for answering. Under a similar arrangement Thompson and Warrum, several months ago, prepared an interpretation of the new laws for the benefit and guidance of registration officials and candidates for office, and this interpretation was submitted to Governor

Marshall for his approval. The Governor approved the matter and published it in pamphlet form for distribution all over the state at the expense of the state.

In the absence of any court interpretations of the new laws it was agreed by all parties that they would accept the interpretations by Thompson and Warrum until questions arising under the laws could be decided by the courts.

Since the publication of the first pamphlet other questions came up in such numbers as had never been expected, and it is these questions that are answered in the second interpretation. The additional report of

Warrum and Thompson was submitted to Governor Marshall today and he gave it his approval. It will be published in pamphlet form, as was the first report. It is as follows:

1. Section 3 of the registration law provides:

"The county chairman of each of the political parties that casts the highest and next highest vote respectively in the county at the last preceding general election, shall have the right to nominate one of the clerks of the registration for each precinct, provided he does so in writing at least ten days before said May session, and the inspector shall appoint the person so nominated respectively. Provided, that if either or both of the chairmen of said political parties should so fail to nominate then the inspector shall appoint the clerk or clerks without such nomination."

If a clerk so appointed on nomination by a county chairman should resign, die or remove from the precinct we hold that the chairman having originally the nominating power, may nominate his successor, provided he does so in writing before the day when the next session of the registration board convenes.

2. The question has been raised as to whether a relative or a candidate may serve as a registration official. As the law does not render relationship to a candidate a disqualification from serving on a registration.

3. The question has been asked, since the September registration session shall be held on Friday, whether when two extra days of the session have been properly petitioned for, the last day of the session is to be held on Sunday, or on Monday.

In our opinion, constructing this law in the light of our institution, and reasoning from analogous rulings in other cases, the last day of the session so petitioned for should be held on Monday, not Sunday, and the board on Saturday should simply continue or adjourn its holding until Monday morning at 5 o'clock.

4. The question has been asked as to the right of a foreigner residing in the United States to register when he has not taken any steps toward naturalization. The law seems to be plain that one may register if he expects to vote and expects to be qualified to vote at the general election in November. In other words, he must have the necessary qualifications at the time he votes in November, though he need not have them at the time he registers. His registration alone does not qualify him to vote and he can, when applying to vote, be then challenged for lacking the necessary qualifications. Such a foreigner applying for registration should write in his application the additional statement that while not naturalized he expects to become so before the next general election.

5. The question has been raised as to what should be done where a voter applies for registration and one of the clerks does not consent to register him. The clerk has no right

to refuse such registration. If wrongfully presenting himself for registration, the applicant can be prosecuted, also challenged when he undertakes to vote. Should one of the clerks, however, decline to register the applicant he should be registered by the other clerk.

6. A person who is not able to write any language may procure some resident of the township to write his name for him, after the applicant has made his mark and the person who writes the applicant's name must also sign his name as an attesting witness. The attesting witness must be personally acquainted with the applicant, but it is not necessary that he should be acquainted with the qualifications of the applicant for registration.

7. In our judgment, under the provisions of Section 11, both clerks should indorse their initials on the back of every application for registration; should one of the clerks, however, decline to indorse his initials on the back of such application the other clerk should, nevertheless, indorse his initial thereon.

8. Where a foreigner has been naturalized, this operates of itself as a naturalization of his minor children who came to this country with him. If the father has been naturalized, but the son does not know when and where, we believe this information can be procured from the bureau of naturalization, Washington, D. C. The mere fact that the son does not know the place and time of his father's naturalization does not disqualify him from registering, but might be a serious impediment if such person is challenged when he presents himself to vote. It would, of course, be advisable for a person in this condition to secure this information so that he could fill out his registration blank properly, or he could declare his intention to become a citizen of the United States conformably to the laws thereof, and thus avoid any possible question.

9. There is nothing in the corrupt practices act which expressly prohibits the chairman of a political committee from acting as its treasurer, although we believe that it was not the intention to permit such a practice. All contributions received by a political committee must pass through the hands of the treasurer and be expended by the authority and subject to the direction of such committee, and the penalty of the treasurer's bond is to be fixed at the discretion of such committee, the legislature not having prescribed any minimum or maximum penalty. Thus a man occupying both positions might at times find himself in a situation where the free exercise of his judgment would be hampered by conflicting duties. A member of a political committee may receive a contribution for political purposes without violating the corrupt practices act, but he must without delay place such contribution in the hands of the treasurer of such committee without deducting any sum whatsoever from the contribution so made. A member of a political committee, other than a treasurer, has no authority whatsoever to disburse funds.

10. A treasurer or political agent may pay the expense of printing and circulating political articles, circulars, circular letters, pamphlets and books. In our judgment, this power is broad enough to give a political agent or treasurer the right to subscribe to and pay for newspapers containing political articles and to send such newspapers, or cause the same to be sent, during the campaign, to voters.

11. It is permissible for a political committee, through its treasurer, to furnish to newspapers plate matter and copy touching political matters of interest for publication in such newspapers. By Section 6 of the corrupt practices act it is made "unlawful for a political agent or treasurer to accept (expend) any money for printing or publication of any political matter whatsoever, which shall not purport on its face to be printed or published by the authority of said treasurer or political agent, and which if printed in any newspaper or other periodical shall not be marked as an advertisement." It is, therefore, necessary that plate or copy prepared by or for a political committee, shall be marked as an advertisement when printed in a newspaper for pay, and shall show upon its face that it is published by the authority of the committee which issues it. Of course, this does not mean that any newspaper, of its own

motion, may not print gratuitously in the regular way any article, news or editorial, in plate form or otherwise, relating to politics that it sees fit. The restrictions above referred to relate only to matter published for which a political treasurer or agent disburses funds.

12. The law does not require that registration blanks shall be written or printed upon any particular kind of color of paper. In our judgment it is permissible for registration to be made upon a blank form of registration printed in the newspapers which has on the reverse side thereof other printed matter; provided the blank is otherwise in conformity with law. It is also permissible that registration blanks be printed on either white or colored paper.

13. The treasurer of the state central committee of either may appoint subtreasurers within and for a given precinct, township or county, or for several precincts, townships or counties, to receive money, property or things of value contributed within said precincts, townships or counties for said committee, and the state central committee may pay the proper and necessary expenses of the subtreasurer so appointed, but can not pay such subtreasurer any commission or salary whatsoever for the collection of such sums. It is unnecessary that such subtreasurer should give any bond; but, the report of the subtreasurer must be filed with and made a part of the account and statement required to be filed by such treasurer.

14. The state central committee of any political party may lawfully receive contributions and donations from the congressional or national committee of their respective parties, provided such funds are received and disbursed for purposes authorized by the corrupt practices act.

15. If a contribution has been promised to a political committee by a given person the chairman of such committee may send a messenger to bring such contribution to said committee without appointing such messenger as a subtreasurer, and the expense of such messenger may be paid in the regular way.

16. By Section 9 of the registration law a foreign born applicant is required to state, among other things, whether he has been naturalized under the laws of the United States and, if so, when and where, and if foreign born and not naturalized, whether he has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States and, if so, when and where. In the event such foreign born applicant is unable to obtain the evidence of his naturalization or his declaration of intention for any reason, then, in our judgment, he may state in his application that he was naturalized or declared his intention at a certain place on or about a certain time. It is not necessary in such case for such foreign born applicant to give the exact date of this naturalization or of his declaration of intention, but he should give it as nearly as he can. It is not necessary, to entitle a foreign born applicant who has either declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, or who has, in fact, been naturalized, to produce his papers showing his declaration or his naturalization papers in order to entitle him to register or vote.

### Mauzy.

Miss May Mitchell of Russellville, Ohio, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bert Traube.

Miss Inez and Gladys Lockhart and Jesse Murphy of Connersville and Miss Leora Mayse of Brazil were visiting Miss Mary and Nellie Guffin a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander of Glenwood called on Major Griffin and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Louisiana Ging of Rushville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Bussell.

Charles Atkins and wife of South Bend have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens.

J. A. Bauer, wife and daughter of Arkansas are visiting John Arnold and family.

Miss Leona and Evaline Waller of Knightstown are the guests of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and other relatives.

The all day meeting at the Ben Davis Creek church last Sunday was a grand success and all did full justice to the excellent dinner. Bro.

Yocum of Rushville delivered a splendid sermon in the afternoon although the weather was so warm that he had to shed his coat as did several others.

Mrs. Ella Mauzy and daughter Jessie Marie of Indianapolis have returned home after a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Mary and Nellie Heizer of Indianapolis are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Paxton of Glenwood and Mr. and Mrs. John Bussell spent Tuesday in Indianapolis.

Peter Mauzy of Rushville, and George Mauzy of Indianapolis called on Wesley Mauzy last Thursday.

Miss Only Rubush and Edmond Simmons of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Miss Edna Hood.

Miss Pauline Felts of Rushville visited Margaret Gray last week.

Herschel Daubenspeck and wife are spending a few weeks in Michigan.

Born to Jesse Brooks and wife a fine girl Monday.

### SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS.

Aug. 25, 1912.  
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The Visit to Nazareth. Luke 1:16-30.  
Golden Text—He came unto his own, and they that were his own received him not. John 1:11.

(1.) Verse 10—Why should every person form the habit of regularly attending church on the Sabbath day, as Jesus did?

(2.) Verses 17-19—Was it usual or not for members of the congregation in Jewish synagogues to be invited to read the Scriptures?

(3.) Which style did these Jewish synagogues' services most resemble, our present day Bible classes or our public services, and which is the better?

(4.) What would be the advantage if all Christians were to attend a Bible class?

(5.) Where did Jesus read from and what was its original meaning? (See Isa. 1:1-2.)

(6.) Verses 20-21—By what authority did Jesus apply this language to himself? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(7.) What were the outstanding characteristics of the teaching and the actions of Jesus?

(8.) What do history and present day conditions say concerning the influence of Christ in the world?

(9.) Why did they look at Jesus so intently after he was through reading and had sat down?

(10.) Verse 22—What would probably be Jesus' comment on the Scripture he quoted?

(11.) What would there be to wonder at in Jesus' address?

(12.) When a man of God in these days delivers an inspired address do the people who listen to it always wonder? Why?

(13.) How often is there an exception to the rule that the son of a poor man is thought less of for that fact?

(14.) Which excites the most surprise, the distinguished son of a rich man or the distinguished son of a poor man?

(15.) What was the implication if, as they said, he was only Joseph's son?

(16.) Verse 23—What defect or malady did they think Jesus was suffering from and how did they want him to apply the remedy?

(17.) Verse 24—Why did they discount the claims of Jesus simply because he was brought up among them?

(18.) Why do we so often think lightly of what is very familiar, of blessings right at our door and of good men who are our neighbors?

(19.) Verses 25-27—In what way do these verses convey a refusal to work miracles at Nazareth?

(20.) Verses 28-30—Why is it that in all ages when men of God have taught the truth that so many professedly religious people have been angered?

(21.) How do you account for the anger of these people at the words Jesus had spoken to them?

Lesson for Sunday, Sept. 1, 1912.  
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## Republican Ticket

## NATIONAL

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For Vice-President  
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WARWICK H. RIPLEY of Indianapolis  
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Appellate Judge, Southern District  
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Comm. Northern Dist.  
JOHN T. BOWLES  
Comm. Southern Dist.  
JOHN E. HARRISON

By his veto of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill the President has rendered another service to the cause of political decency. Like the army bill and one or two others of the regular money measures of the government, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill carried provisions for general legislation, thus violating a wise rule of congress, observes the St. Louis Globe Democrat. Probably the Democratic leaders supposed that the president could be coerced into signing this measure by the fact that it carried an appropriation for his own salary as well as for those of most of the other officers of the government. In this they were mistaken.

On the question of abolishing the Court of Commerce and of limiting the tenure of civil service employees to seven years there may or may not be good arguments for the position which the Democrats took, but such propositions have no place in an appropriation bill. They should be incorporated in separate measures and considered on their own merits or demerits. The President will be applauded for vetoing the bill which carries these alien proposals as riders. The same was true of the alien legislation engrafted on the army bill. Not one person out of every one hundred cared whether Gen. Leonard Wood was or was not legislated out of his post as chief of staff as the Democrats proposed, which was

one of the reasons why the President vetoed the measure. The proper course for his enemies was to attack Wood in an independent bill, and let it take its chances of winning favor as such. The Democrats believed, however, that such a measure could not pass, and therefore they wanted to tie up a big appropriation bill with it, in the hope of forcing the Republican members of congress and the president to accept their proposition so as to avoid tying up the government's business.

Thus Democratic factions and obstructiveness are making capital for the Republicans in the campaign. They show the narrowness and folly of the party, and sound a warning to the people against permitting it to gain control of the government. To the extent of their ability and opportunity the Democrats of the House have disorganized the public functions ever since the beginning of the fiscal year on July 1. For this embarrassment to the government the Republicans are not responsible. By their contumacious the Democrats are prolonging the session to an abnormal length, and nobody dares make any guess now as to when adjournment may come. At the beginning of the session some of the Democratic chieftains were boasting that they would finish work early enough to adjourn before the beginning of June, so as to give a clear field to those members who wanted to do some work in aid of their candidacy for re-election. From present indications September will see congress still wrangling at the old stand.

## Misrepresentation.

In attempting to make it appear that President Taft is using patronage to reward men who helped bring about his renomination, Bull Moose newspapers fail to say that senate committees have investigated these charges carefully and found them unfounded.

The senate committee on the judiciary, for instance, has just completed an investigation of circumstances surrounding the appointment of Secundino Romero as United States marshal for the district of New Mexico, and has shown the stories that have been printed are absolutely false. The committee has ordered favorable action on the nomination.

In the case of P. C. Hernandez, appointed receiver of the land office in New Mexico, the senate confirmed the appointment unanimously and it did likewise in the case of Marcus S. Baker, Jr., to be postmaster at Savannah, Ga.

The confirmation of the appointment of Beverly W. Coyner as United States district attorney for the western district of Washington is opposed by Senator Poindexter, who is a Bull Moose, but the appointment will undoubtedly be confirmed.

The friends of Walter K. Landis, who was let out as postmaster at San Juan, Porto Rico, have not filed

## Sam Sanderson Says:



That it makes a great stir when the natives of Zululand have boiled missionary for dinner but little is said when the bleachers have roast umpire.

any protest with the senate committee on postoffices and postroads against the confirmation of Robert H. Todd, who was appointed to the place.

One who reads the iniquitous Indianapolis Star would be led to believe that Taft has been juggling patronage about for his own benefit. The Star, like the great being it follows with the dumb worship of a heathen for its idol, is near-sighted and sees positively nothing good in the Taft administration which it once praised.

## Function of Newspapers.

A solicitor for newspaper subscriptions made this remark out of his personal experience the other day:

"Some of the keenest critics the newspapers have to meet are people who rarely buy a home newspaper, at least never patronize it regularly. They borrow it of friends, or steal glances at it in hotels, barber shops or reading rooms. If there were no newspapers here, they would be the first to deplore the lack of public spirit."

The newspaper makes possible all kinds of private and public enterprise. If you want to get anything done, whether it be your children educated, your products sold or your gospel preached, you have got to tell people about it in some public way. No kind of organization is possible without public discussion.

You can sell goods for more and buy them for less, through the exchange of information which newspapers make possible.

A newspaper can perform these great services efficiently only when it is loyally supported by the public. The man who refuses to contribute his small share through a newspaper subscription is like one who has enjoyed a feast, but who dodges the contribution box.

## Watson's Challenge.

Mr. Watson, in his address at Kendallville Monday, challenged anybody in the country, from Mr. Roosevelt down, to a public presentation of the facts, as to the honesty and fairness of the national republican convention at Chicago in the nomination of Mr. Taft, says the Ft. Wayne News.

It is to be hoped that this challenge may be accepted and that the public may have full access to both sides, as they are presented. Mr. Watson was floor manager in the convention for the Taft forces, and talks with a first hand knowledge of what took place.

It has been heavily advertised as a fraudulent convention, by Mr. Roosevelt and his followers and there should be no hesitancy on their part to call Mr. Watson's bluff if they have the facts to back their emphatic assertions. The joint debate would be, without question, most interesting and instructive and should be convincing as well.

Let us have the facts presented by the ablest advocates of each side, with the people at large as the judges.

Only \$3,000,000 for Astor baby? District nurse should see if the family needs help.

A golfer playing his first game of the season reported downtown the next day that he had made a Grand Army score—he went out in 61 and came back in 65,—Chicago Evening Post.

Although it costs but 6 cents a day in India for men to wave fans to keep the air circulating in houses, they are gradually being replaced by electric fans as cheaper and more reliable.

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## SHOULD PLANT TREES ON ROADS

Charles C. Deam, Secretary State Board of Forestry, Makes an Urgent Plea.

## PROTECT THEM BY LAWS

Cites Value of Trees Along Highways and Common Ways in Which They're Killed.

Charles C. Deam, secretary of the State board of forestry, has enlisted the public in a new campaign. He pleads for the beautifying of the highways by planting trees along them and for statutes to protect them after they are planted. He says that many inquiries are made to learn if there are statutes to protect trees along highways from being mutilated by telephone companies.

Secretary Deam quotes the laws of other States to show that Indiana is lagging in protecting the trees along its road:

The Michigan law says: "That no person or telephone company shall injure, deface, tear, cut down, or destroy any tree or shrub planted along the margin of any highway or purposely left there for shade or ornament." New Hampshire says: "It shall be unlawful to cut, destroy, injure, deface, or break any public shade or ornamental tree; to affix a playbill, picture, advertisement or other device or mark such tree, or negligently suffer any horse to destroy such tree."

"The laws of Massachusetts are more extensive and rigid. They cover injury even by leaking gas. In 1899 an electric railway line in Massachusetts was compelled to pay \$1,200 as damages for destroying fifteen Tupelo trees.

The bulletin follows:

When one journeys over the principal roads throughout our state, he is surprised that there are so few trees planted along the highway. Generally the few trees found are volunteers which have miraculously escaped their many enemies.

The question naturally arises, why are our roadsides destitute of trees? The principal reason is because the owner can not protect them. The roadside tree is nobody's tree or rather everybody's tree. The trunk is patched with signs, salebills, etc., and perforated with nails. The branches must furnish gads for driving stock. The traveler, wearied by his horse fighting flies, breaks off the smaller branches and fastens them to the harness in lieu of fly nets. The telephone man regard trees as an arch enemy and sometimes so badly mutilates them that they are offensive to the aesthetic sense, and we wish he had cut them close to the ground to end their miserable existence. The practice of using roadside trees as guy poles is very injurious to them. The small boy finds delight in climbing in them, breaking off the branches, and in clubbing them, especially if they are nut bearing trees. Their grateful shade causes them to be used as hitching posts, and the tied animals usually lunch on them.

The objection that trees prevent the roads from drying up quickly is much more than balanced by their grateful shade. It is true it takes some space to grow a tree but the value of the crop shaded by the tree is far less than the value of the tree to the public, the value of the wood produced and the added appearance to the farm. The time has come when our best farmers appreciate the value of roadside trees and are eager for the time when they can plant trees with a reasonable assurance that they will not be destroyed. Laws are needed to protect roadside trees and every property owner should urge his representatives to pass laws protecting trees along the public highways.

The fourth annual reunion of the Bates family will be held at the city park here Thursday, September 5. Ward Bates is president, and Mrs. Hattie Israel is secretary.

## Editorial Letter.

Taking aviation lessons by mail may be all right, but you can't learn to perform a surgical operation on yourself through a correspondence school.

Editor John Melton of the Greentown (Howard county) Gem forecasts that the hobble skirt will "disappear shortly." Mrs. Lake ought to hear that.

At least we can predict there will be a bumper crop of flies next year.

Don't blame the Democrats for their optimism, observes the Kokomo Tribune. Even Argus, with a hundred eyes, couldn't see his finish.

The banks are asked to take campaign contributions, but it is feared that "the boys" will find it hard to convince a safety deposit vault that their "influence" should be adequately compensated.

A University of Illinois professor has become involved in controversy for using a spanking machine on his children. There would have been no complaint had he used it on the students.

It is impossible at this time of year to tell whether a man is sneezing from hay fever, or is trying to pronounce the names of some of our new Polish and Hungarian citizens.

The man who thinks the parties will do what their platform say would be a good man to sell mining stock to.

## MONKEY-FACED OWL.

Greenfield Republican: Owen Bodkin, who lives near Charlottesville, killed a monkey-faced owl Tuesday morning and brought it to this city. He found the queer bird in a field and stunned it with an ear of corn and it died later. It is unusually large, being almost three feet from tip to tip, and has a face like a monkey. The feathers are as fine and soft as silk, being silver and fawn in color.

FOUND—a sum of money Saturday morning. Owner can have same by proving property. L. L. Allen, Grocer. 137t4

The annual Hilligoss family reunion will be held at the Rushville fair ground Sunday, September 8.

The Addison family will hold their reunion in Craft's grove, east of Charlottesville on Thursday, September 5th.

Best by Test, Fair Promise 5c Cigar

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy to us during the illness and death of our dear father, Dallas P. Saul. Especially do we thank those who sent floral offerings, the singers, the pallbearers, and the minister.  
Chas. N. Sweet and Family.

FOR SALE—Florence Coal Heater and Kitchen Gas Range and Radiator. Must be sold by Saturday. 317 East Tenth. 138t3

WANTED—Two cabinet makers, also two molding sanders on furniture cabinet work. Steady jobs. State experience. H. Lauter Co., Indianapolis, Ind. 138t3

FOR SALE—Soft Coal. See Davis & Buell at Davis Bros. livery barn. 138tf

## PUBLIC SALE.

We, the undersigned will sell at public sale the old Plam Creek church building. Sale to take place at the church premises Monday, August 19, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

E. A. BILLINGS,

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J. L. HAYES,

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## PAY TRIBUTE TO MRS. HILL VANCE

Third Annual Reunion of Carmony Family Held at Coliseum in City Park Today.

OVER A HUNDRED PRESENT

Aged Woman is Only Surviving One of 10 Children of John and Eve Carmony.

Out of respect for Mrs. Cynthia Vance, age seventy-three, wife of J. Hill Vance, 424 North Harrison street, the third annual reunion of the descendants of John and Eva Carmony, who settled in Shelby county shortly after their marriage and brought up a family of ten children, was held in the Coliseum at the city park today. Mrs. Vance was the youngest daughter and is the only surviving one of the ten children of Mr. and Mrs. John Carmony. Mrs. Vance was the oldest person at the reunion today, and it is barely probable if there was another person there, young or old, who enjoyed it more. A large basket dinner, the customary feature of reunions, was spread at noon.

This afternoon a program, consisting of songs, solos, piano numbers and impromptu speeches, was carried out. New officers were elected for the ensuing year and a collection was taken up to defray the expenses of the reunion. The fourth annual reunion will be held next year, the third Wednesday in August in Broad Ripple park, Indianapolis.

The secretary's report of last year's meeting at Brookside park, Indianapolis, was read. It said there were more than eighty present, and that it was voted that a history of the family should be compiled and read before this year's reunion. The secretary explained that the work had been started on the family tree, but that it had not been completed and would not be read until the next reunion. The Carmonys have traced their ancestors back as far as 1775, and have learned that the family originated in Germany.

John Carmony was born February first, 1796 and was married to Miss Eve High, who was born October thirtieth, 1794. Mrs. Vance, the youngest of their ten children, was born March thirtieth, 1839. There were more than a hundred in attendance today.

Among the number were: David Creek, Mary Carmony, Cora Carmony, Lillian Carmony, Bert Carmony, Harriet Carmony, William Messmore, Mary Carmony, Zernah Carmony, Joe H. Hester, Mrs. S. J. Creek, Joe Linville, Laura Linville, Lavanche Carmony, Cordelia Carmony, Ida Belle Games, Grace A. Linville, George F. Linville, A. H. Carmony, Cyrus Carmony, Arthur Carmony, William Carmony, Laura Creek, Fern Carmony, Isabelle Vance, Harry Carmony, Goldie Carmony, Donald Carmony, Vivian Messmore, Harry, Paul, Fanny and Lois Carmony, all of Shelbyville.

Those from other points in Shelby county were: A. M. Robbins, Oren J. Six, Muriel VanSyoc, Alice and Eva VanSyoc, and H. W. Robbins of Gwynneville; Charles E. Wicker and John Carmony of Morristown.

People from this city and county attending were: Rexie Vance, Mrs. Charles Baker, Frank Vance, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill Vance, May Gibson, Monnie Warfield, and Mrs. Cora Humes of this city; D. E. Carmony of Mailla; George and Henry Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Ora McDaniel of Arlington.

Visitors from a distance were T. F. Carmony and Annie Carmony of Dublin, Wayne county; Mrs. Alice Marshall of Tipton; Mrs. O. M. Heritage and Miss Cora Heritage of Alexandria.

The bulk of the mail matter handled by the Swiss postoffice consists of illustrated post cards.

A speed exceeding two miles a minute has been made by cars on a short German electric railroad built by army officers for experimenting.

Snake FAIR PROMISE to Close

## AMUSEMENTS

The Portola offers two splendid reels of pictures for tonight's shows. "A Tragedy of the Desert," a thrilling Kalem drama is the offering. It is composed of two reels and is said to be an extraordinary production. Charles VanCamp will sing "My Garden of Allah."

G. M. Anderson will appear in "Western Hearts," an Essanay western drama that enthralls and grips with interest. "Prisoner of War" is the other picture on tonight's program. It is an Edison and relates a story of the days of Napoleon. Tomorrow "Fire and Straw," a Lubin feature drama will be shown.

"Country Cousin," a rural comedy, will be put on by the Guy Stock Players at their tent theater in the ball park tonight. It is a play that is replete with humor and wholesome fun. Tomorrow night the Guy players will produce their best play of the week, "Lena Rivers," a favorite novel by Mary J. Holmes and dramatized by Buella Pointer. "From Rags to Riches" pleased a crowd that packed the tent to the doors last night. The band with the stock company continues to attract large crowds every noon and evening at seven o'clock with concerts.

The Palace shows "The Crisis" 101 Bison, ninth of series. The same picture that was booked for last Saturday when the accident to the machine occurred. Albert Bruno, the special attraction is pleasing large crowds nightly in his high class musical act lasting 25 minutes. He plays on entirely different instruments tonight and will play any piece requested on any instrument tomorrow night. He plays his part in native Italian costume. An early and late show will be given so those wishing to attend the Guy Stock Co. will have time to see both.

London, on the brightest day, has only two-thirds of the sunshine to which it is entitled, by reason of the smoke in the atmosphere.

In the number of telephones in proportion to population, Iowa, Nebraska, Washington, Nevada and California lead the other states.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Goshen Times: Miss Pauline Hatch entertained Miss Pauline Coverston and house party guests from Rushville at breakfast Monday morning. The Misses Elvira, Natalia and Elma Gallentine entertained forty-eight couple at a dancing party Monday night in honor of Miss Pauline Coverston and her house party guests.

### FAMILIAR FACE MISSING.

There was a familiar face missing at the I. & C. gate at the fair grounds this afternoon. That face belongs to Charles O. Warfel, traffic manager of the Indianapolis & Cincinnati Traction Company. Yes, he is generally there looking after the crowds at the fair. But no, he wasn't on duty today. The reason? It's all very simple. There arrived at his home at 720 North Perkins street this afternoon a little girl that tipped the beams at eight and a half pounds shortly after ex-haling a breath of the air in this world for the first time. He may not attend the fair at all this year.

A moving picture camera can be operated on horseback by using a recently invented attachment for the purpose.

## IN VAUDEVILLE.



First Comedian—What's the difference between a clock and a business firm?  
Second Comedian—Give it up!  
First Comedian—When you wind them up the clock goes, but the firm stops.

A document file that two Oregon men have patented permits the inspection of both sides of any paper that it contains.

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## PERSONAL POINTS

—Theodore Heeb transacted business in Indianapolis today.

—Russell Reddick of Carthage is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Amos.

—Elbert Reuter of the Peru Journal is the guest of his sister, Mrs. V. L. Voke.

—Orval Holmes of Glenwood is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

—John Eubank and family of Newcastle have moved here for permanent residence.

—E. B. Thomas has gone to Petoskey, Michigan, to remain until after the hay fever season.

—Miss Ruth Innis and Mrs. C. H. Parsons have gone to Petoskey, Michigan for an outing.

—Mrs. Will Sargent and son of Indianapolis came yesterday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Jarvis.

—District Deputy Head Consul William Frank of Connersville mingled with local Modern Woodmen in this city yesterday.

—Mrs. John Scott and two grandchildren returned to their home in Indianapolis this morning after a visit with relatives here.

There will be a special meeting of the Modern Woodmen at their hall tonight at 7:30 sharp. Every member is urged to be present.

—Miss Lola Beckley of Indianapolis, who has been visiting Miss Hazel Kiser of Jackson township and other relatives, has returned home.

—Roy Lines and family, John Patton and family and W. A. Billings and family have returned from Oswego, Ind., where they enjoyed an outing on Tippecanoe Lake.

—Connersville News: John Moffett and mother, who have been visiting in Rushville, visited friends here today, while enroute to Yellow Bank, for a few days' stay, before returning to their home in Cincinnati.

—The Rev. W. H. Wylie is spending the week in Seymour.

—Miss Estelle Jones visited with friends in Indianapolis today.

—Tom Mills of Jackson township has returned from a trip to North and South Dakota.

—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Friend have gone to Vincennes, where they were called on account of the illness of their son, Ulie, who has typhoid fever.

## PREPARE FOR NEXT REGISTRY

Attention Called to Voters That They Comply With Law so They Can Vote.

REGISTRATION DAY, SEPT. 6

The next registration of voters will be held on Friday, September 6. This is the second registration day provided by law and is known as the September session.

It must not be forgotten that no person will be permitted to vote who is not registered. If you wish to vote at the election to be held in November you will have to be registered.

If you registered at the May session and have since moved from the precinct where you then lived, into another precinct, it will be necessary for you to secure a copy of the record of your registration from the auditor of Howard county and present it to the registration board of the precinct into which you have moved. It then becomes the duty of the registration board upon receipt of such copy of your former registration to register your name in the precinct where you now live.

Every voter should register at the next session of the board of registration—Friday, September 6—and save the committees of the various political parties the labor and expense of looking up those who fail to register.

## New Princess

W. F. Easley Owner and Mgr.

G. M. Anderson in  
**"Western Hearts"**

A Western Drama That Grips and Enthalls  
(S. AND A.)

**"Prisoner of War"**  
A Story of Napoleon  
(EDISON)

Tomorrow  
**"Fire and Straw"**  
Lubin Drama

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## PORTOLA

SOME PLACE TO GO

A Splendid Feature Show

**"Tragedy of the Desert"**

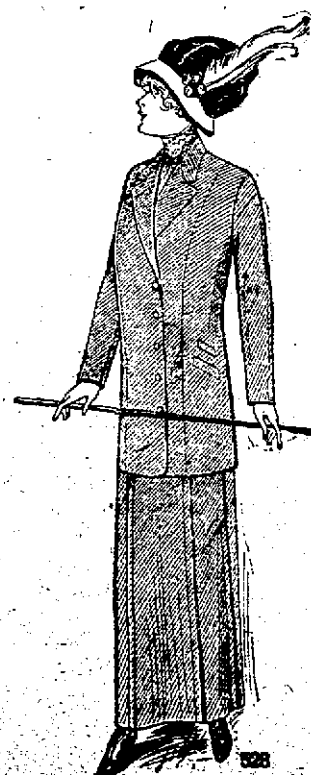
Two Reels—Kalem

Charles VanCamp  
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**"My Garden of Allah"**

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## DAILY MARKETS

**Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.**  
 Wheat—Wagon, \$1.01; No. 2 red, \$1.02. Corn—No. 3, 79½¢. Oats—No. 2 white, 34¢. Hay—Baled, \$13.00 @ 14.00; timothy, \$18.00 @ 19.00; mixed, \$14.00 @ 16.00. Cattle—\$3.00 @ 9.75. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.75. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 3.75. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 6.00. Receipts—5,500 hogs; 1,050 cattle; 700 sheep.  
**At Cincinnati.**  
 Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07. Corn—No. 2, 82¢. Oats—No. 2, 34¢. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 8.50. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.70. Sheep—\$1.25 @ 3.60. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 7.00.  
**At Chicago.**  
 Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 3, 79½¢. Oats—No. 2, 34½¢. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 10.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.00 @ 7.30. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.60. Sheep—\$4.50 @ 4.60. Lambs—\$4.25 @ 7.15.  
**At St. Louis.**  
 Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 2, 77¢. Oats—No. 2, 32½¢. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 10.50. Hogs—\$5.25 @ 8.60. Sheep—\$3.25 @ 4.60. Lambs—\$4.60 @ 7.50.

The local elevators are paying the following prices for grain today, August 21, 1912:  
 Wheat ..... 97¢  
 Corn ..... 72¢  
 Oats ..... 28¢  
 Rye ..... 65¢  
 Timothy Seed ..... \$1.25  
 Clover Seed ..... \$6.00 to \$7.00

The following are the ruling prices of the Rushville market, corrected to date—August 21, 1912:  
**POULTRY.**  
 Geese ..... 3¢  
 Turkeys ..... 10¢  
 Spring Chickens ..... 12¢  
 Hens on foot, per pound ..... 10¢  
 Ducks ..... 7¢  
**PRODUCE**  
 Butter ..... 17¢ to 20¢  
 Eggs ..... 18¢

## Want Ad Department

Advertisements under this head are charged for at the rate of one-third cent per word for each insertion. The same ad will be placed in the Indianapolis Star and Daily Republican at the combined rate of one cent per word. Found articles of small value will be advertised free of charge.

**FOR SALE**—Best Michigan Salt, \$1.20 per barrel. C. W. Einkle & Co. 70tf

**FOR SALE**—Jersey Cow with heifer calf at her side. Bert Ormes. Phone 1289. Rushville. 105tf

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**FOR SALE**—Fine White Rye for seed. 75¢ per bushel. John F. Boyd. 130tf

**FOR SALE**—House with six rooms and bath and a barn. Corner Main and Tenth St. See Derby Green. 1386f

**FOR RENT**—7 room house in tony Row. Call Mrs. Sarah Giffin. Phone 1201. 1324f

**FOR SALE**—A new surrey and harness, just used a short time. Wm. G. Mulno. 124tf

**LOST**—guardian's receipt book. Return to Laura Joyce, 601 North Jackson St., Rushville, Ind. 117tf

**FOR RENT**—a good 6 room house on good street. Moderate rent. Apply to Dr. C. H. Gilbert, 331 North Main street. 83tf

**FOR SALE**—Cucumbers for pickles, any size. 30¢ per 100. A post card will bring them. F. Windeler. 1361f

**LOST**—Between Rushville and T. A. Coleman's farm a baby's short white coat. Call Will Ash at Coleman's or leave at Republican office. 1361f

**FOR SALE**—Modern nine room residence, 719 N. Morgan St. B. L. Trabue. 134tf

**FOR SALE**—Good clean Seed Rye. L. R. Bishop. Phone 3422. 1341f

**COUCH**—a soft couch with head which can be raised or lowered, for sale at a sacrifice. Call on J. Feudner at the Republican office. 112tf

**FOR RENT**—2 furnished rooms. House modern. 310 E. Sixth St. 1351f

**FOR SALE**—1 five room cottage in North Sexton street. A. E. Newhouse. Phone 1150. 100tf

**FOR RENT**—4 room cottage in West Tenth street. See Walter E. Smith. published in it pamphlet from for 137tf

**MONEY**—to lend on farms. No commission. The Union Trust Company of Indianapolis. 108124

**FOR SALE**—Poland China pigs, both sexes. John F. Boyd. 130tf

**FOR SALE**—The 160 acres known as the George Hume farm, three miles from Milroy. Will sell by forty or eighty. One of the best farms in the county. For information see William J. Brown, Milroy, Ind., or Smith, Cambarn & Smith, Rushville, Ind. 13516w2t

**WANTED**—to rent five room house, modern conveniences. Not too far out, by October first. Address A. L. Yakey, 1203 Conwell, St., Connerville, Ind. 1361f

**FOR SALE**—One dining room table, kitchen table, refrigerator, gas cook stove and radiator. Call at 235 West Second St. 137112

**LOST**—Black suede hand bag on show grounds. Small purse inside with some money. Reward if returned to Republican office. 13713

**FOR RENT**—five room house, newly papered, painted and cleaned. Apply to Dr. Gilbert, 331 North Main. 13615

**FOUND**—a buggy whip, corner Main and Second. Owner can have same by calling at this office. 13514

## WILLIAM BOOTH DEAD IN LONDON

World's Grand Old Man Passes Away.

### REVIEW OF A NOTABLE LIFE

Crusade That General Booth Commenced Forty-Five Years Ago in the London Slums Under the Startling Banner "Blood and Fire," is Still Progressing and Moral Reforms Instituted by Him March Grandly On.

London, Aug. 21.—General William Booth, the commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, is dead. He had been failing since last May, when an operation for cataract was performed on his left eye.

Peter the Hermit, riding out of Amiens with a crucifix held over the head of his mule to preach the first crusade, gathered into his train not a hundredth part of the number of militant Christians that have followed General William Booth out of Whitechapel under his banner, which read, "Blood and Fire." The crusade that General Booth commenced in the London slums has continued for forty-five years and is still progressing.

It has been said of General Booth that, like Abraham, he believed in God; like Abraham, he was a patriarch and implacable law-giver over his people. He sacrificed a son who would not yield obedience.

#### His Day of Small Things.

William Booth was born in Nottingham, England, April 10, 1829. His father was a carpenter, who had little but a consuming religious zeal to support him in the world. By dint of much economy the carpenter managed to give his son a half education and to send him to a private theological tutor for preparation in the Methodist ministry. At twenty-three the young man took his first church, a small chapel in Nottingham.

It is said that the Rev. William Booth was not a magnetic speaker, nor one especially qualified for evangelical work, but into that work he plunged with tremendous zeal shortly after his admission to the ministry of the church. During his travels over England on preaching tours he met Catherine Mumford and after a long engagement they were married in 1858. The Rev. William Booth's wife was in many ways a remarkable woman; she had the same religious zeal as her husband, the same instinct for organization and a strong appealing quality in her personality, which later served to attract the besotted people of the London slums to her.

#### Cut Loose From Orthodoxy.

For five years after their marriage Booth and his wife lived the precarious existence of revivalists. He laid a plan of campaign before the conference of the Methodist new connection church. It was radical; they would have none of it. Then it was that the zealot cut loose from orthodoxy as it was construed by his superiors and went down to preach to the people of the mean streets in his own way. The flock he chose to lead was not only of the very poor, but the vicious criminal, the lowest dregs of a great city, born to an inheritance of crime through generations. In 1865 Booth and his family settled in Mile End, one of the blackest corners of the East End, and the work of saving souls by new methods began. His first tabernacle was a tent erected in a disused burying ground on Mile End road.

Before 1873, when the Salvation Army had its inception, Booth had learned the bitterness of the work he had selected for himself. Probably the bitterest moments that the indomitable evangelist was ever made to feel followed the first marchings of this tattered and ragged "army" of regenerated sots and criminals through the streets of Whitechapel. It was a holiday for the masses when ever the little band straggled out of their tabernacle and marched behind their wheezing instruments; everything that lent itself to hurling was hurled and in many cases the police sided with the roughs and arrested the Salvationists for obstructing the highways. Then when noise of this sensational evangelizing reached the ears of the clergy of the west end congregations they rose in wrath and denounced the "vulgar sensationalism" and the "irreverent trumpery" of this Salvation army. But Booth persisted in the work, and before a year had passed there were 177 officers in its ranks and eighty-one corps had been established throughout England.

#### Help in High Places.

Before the Salvation Army was formed General Booth and his wife began the long series of social reforms and sterling charities which stand today monuments to their greatness as enduring as the army itself.

Recognition of General Booth's work came in a startling manner and just at the time that the storm of persecution was at its height. This was the message that he received one day in 1884, down at his tabernacle tent in Whitechapel:

"Her majesty the queen learns with much satisfaction that you have, with many other members of your society, been successful in your efforts to win

**WILLIAM BOOTH**  
 Head of Salvation Army  
 Dead After Long Illness.



many thousands to the ways of temperance, virtue and religion."

After that Canon Farrar publicly gave his approbation to General Booth's movement and Cardinal Manning recognized the worth of the work that was then spreading so fast.

With the growth of the Salvation Army came the development of its "general's" insistence upon a despotism more military than any other attribute of the army. Through that very insistence rose the breach between himself and his son Ballington, which resulted in the establishment of the independent body known as the Volunteers of America. Probably this break was the greatest grief that was ever visited upon the veteran evangelist.

#### The American Offshoot.

In 1895 trouble between Ballington and his father began to brew. The son felt that the dictatorship of the father had been carried to intolerable lengths and menaced the cause of the Salvationists; the father found the son too independent and not at all amenable to discipline and flat from London. Early in 1906 General William Booth peremptorily recalled Ballington Booth from his command in America and later sent Eva, his daughter over here to relieve the rebellious son of his command.

Instead of obeying his father's command to give up his post in America and return to England, General Ballington Booth seceded from the army in the spring of 1906 and with the financial backing of several wealthy men in New York and the support of many of the former loyal Salvationists, he started the Volunteers of America. He did not see his father from the time of his secession to the day of General Booth's death, nor was there any communication between them. General Booth's last few years were clouded by the failure of his eyesight and weakened health. But until the day of his death he continued to hold his autocratic grip on the great evangelizing engine he had created.

It has been known for years that General Booth had named his successor in accordance with the laws of the army framed by himself, which prescribed that each general should nominate his successor. General Booth often stated publicly that his successor had been chosen. He declared at one of the gatherings of the army that "the same electric flash that tells the world the general is dead will announce the name of his successor." This has not been fulfilled literally, for the name has not yet been divulged and General Booth himself never hinted at it. The consensus of opinion in the army is that his successor will be his son, Bramwell Booth, who has long been his right-hand man.

#### TERSE TELEGRAMS

G. R. Sheldon of New York has been appointed treasurer of the Republican national committee.

Johann Schleyer, who invented Volapuk, the artificial language for international use in 1879, is dead at Constance, Baden.

Hundreds of federal troops, comprising practically the entire garrison of Leone, Nicaragua, were massacred by the insurgent forces.

The Hungarian government's new franchise reform bill will give the vote to 150,000 women who are economically independent.

George V. Hankins, one-time gambling king of Chicago, is dead. The noted plunger spent the last months of his life as an object of charity.

Mexican federal soldiers have re-occupied Juarez, after the place had been in rebel hands since the 10th of last February, until last Friday, when the rebels evacuated.

Great Britain will file a detailed protest against the granting of free tolls to American coastwise ships, if the Panama canal bill now pending before the president is signed by him.

It is estimated that 5,000,000 new voters will appear this year. There will be 3,650,000 male voters enfranchised by age alone and 1,350,000 women and newly naturalized citizens. How to produce artificial daylight seems to have been discovered almost simultaneously in England and Germany, and the results promise that artists will soon be able to paint by "daylight lamps."

## AGAIN ALL NEW

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 100 PERFORMERS IN THE ARENA  
 300 Persons  
 200 Horses  
 Herds of Elephants  
 Breeds of Camels  
 20 CAGES OF WILD ANIMALS  
 20 Acrobats and the 5 WALTONS  
 15 Aerialists and the 6 Flying Delmars  
 10 Riders, The O'BALES and Miss ACHE BELDEN  
 20 CLOWNS, The World's Funniest Men  
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# BRIBERY CHARGE IN PRICE CASE

James W. Clements, Venireman,  
Swears Albert Fisher, Greensburg  
Contractor Offered Him \$200.

## TO STAND FOR ACQUITTAL

Prospective Juror Says He Was Ap-  
proached Twice—Fisher Placed  
Under Arrest.

Charges of a serious character  
were made by James W. Clements, a  
venireman in the Price murder case  
at Greensburg against Albert Fisher,  
a well known Greensburg contractor,  
when he made affidavit that Fisher  
had attempted to bribe him.

The charges were made in an affi-  
davit filed in Justice Creath's court  
shortly after noon Tuesday. The af-  
fidavit is signed by Clements and by  
Ralph Spangh, prosecuting attorney.  
Immediately following the filing of  
the affidavit, Justice Creath issued  
a warrant for the arrest of Fisher,  
and placed it in the hands of his con-  
stable for service.

The charges are specific as to date  
and amount involved in the alleged  
bribery attempt. Clements says that  
Fisher offered him the sum of \$200 to  
vote an acquittal of Zachariah T.  
Price, in the case of the State of In-  
diana against Price.

Clements says the offer was made  
to him Tuesday morning, prior to his  
dismissal from jury service. In a  
statement prior to the filing of the  
affidavit, Clements says that he was  
approached twice, the money being  
offered at the second interview.

Clements was drawn for jury ser-  
vice in the regular manner and re-  
ported Monday. He was placed in the  
box, examined and then discharged.  
Soon thereafter he told Thomas E.  
Davidson, the presiding judge, and  
attorneys for the State of the alleg-  
ed offer.

"I suppose I should have told  
them before I went into the jury  
box," said Clements, "but I did not  
get a chance to speak to Davidson."  
Prosecutor Spangh advised with  
his deputy, Horace C. Skillman, and  
Judge Davidson and the filing of the  
affidavit followed soon thereafter.

When the affidavit had been filed in  
the justice's court, Prosecutor  
Spangh returned to the court room  
and resumed his part in the selecting  
of a grand jury to try Price. Few  
persons around the court room knew  
that events of a sensational charac-  
ter were transpiring outside the  
court room. Even court attaches  
were unaware of the charges.

Bribing or attempt to bribe is a  
penal offense and the guilty person  
may also be held in contempt of  
court.

In an interview Mr. Clements re-  
iterated the story, adding that the  
man who made the offer had told him  
yesterday morning that a large sum  
of money had been raised in Jen-  
nings county by friends of Price for  
the purpose of fixing the jury.

W. A. Fisher has lived in Decatur  
county all his life, has borne a splen-  
did reputation for honesty and up-  
rightness, and his friends will be  
slow to give credence to the charges  
made.

Little progress was made toward  
getting a jury Tuesday. The first  
panel was exhausted late Monday  
and a new one was drawn.

The attorneys had the same diffi-  
culty in trying to impanel a jury that  
they experienced Monday. So many  
of the prospective jurors had read so  
much about the trial in the newspa-  
pers that they had formed an opinion  
and all said that it would take con-  
siderable additional evidence to re-  
move their opinions.

A larger crowd was present all  
day Tuesday.

The Price family watched every  
juror's face as he answered the ques-  
tions of the attorneys in regard to  
his knowledge of the case. Mrs.  
Cook's time was taken up in keeping  
the two little boys from talking out  
loud.

### New Feed Barn

V. O. Dugan has opened a feed  
barn, corner First and Julian streets.  
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# RAISE RECALLS "GAS" HISTORY

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pipe lines and make the connections.  
Capitalization to date: \$120,000.

One day the president of the gas  
company received an inquiry from a  
bonding company asking for quota-  
tions on Rushville Natural Gas Com-  
pany stock. That threw the stock-  
holders into a panic. Col. Doxey was  
called over long distance telephone.  
"Sure," he replied by phone, "of  
course I want to sell my stock. I  
need the money. Yes, it's all very  
true I agreed to give you first op-  
tion on the stock, but I must sell."

History goes that the poor gas  
company had to raise those forty-  
three thousand shining "plunks" in  
the good currency of the realm and  
pass it on to the colonel at Ander-  
son. He withdrew from the situation  
with his snug little sum of money,  
and thus the Rushville Natural Gas  
Company, with a solar plexus blow in  
its infancy, when it was cutting its  
first teeth, got a very poor start.

The people of Rushville were de-  
lighted to get natural gas. They  
went to the corporation line with a  
brass band and told the gas com-  
pany to come on in, it could have  
anything it wanted. And it got that  
very thing as events following that  
proved. It got a franchise that was  
—and still is for that matter—al-  
most unlimited. It began selling gas  
at twenty-five cents a thousand feet,  
and has been charging that price to  
date.

In three years after the franchise  
was granted, the people of Rushville  
were thoroughly awakened. The  
process of awakening required just  
thirty-six months. Then they passed  
an ordinance with some restrictions.  
It required that no gas company  
should sell its supply for a price to  
exceed fifteen cents a thousand, and  
it still exists, although every city  
council has been importuned to pass  
a less stringent ordinance.

Then the people of Rushville de-  
cided they would make the Rushville  
Natural Gas Company abide by the  
restricting ordinance, and from this  
date on the gas company began to  
land right side up with every flop and  
it is still on top.

The first step in the city's warfare  
to "make" the old company come to  
its terms, Lew Fargo, superintendent  
of the old company, was arrested one  
day by the town marshal for tearing  
up the streets. The city authorized  
the arrest on the theory that the old  
company was not abiding by the new  
gas ordinance which provided any  
gas company in Rushville should sign  
an agreement and give a bond to  
hold it to the restriction of the new  
ordinance.

Then the fireworks began. The gas  
company rushed to court and sought  
to enjoin the city from transgressing  
on its rights in transacting its regu-  
lar business under a franchise it had  
with the city. The city replied to the  
injunction suit, averring that the first  
unlimited franchise was null and  
void because it was perpetual.

The city lost and the injunction  
was issued against the city. A. B.  
Irvin, who was city attorney then  
appealed to the State Supreme  
Court. The appeal was filed October  
31, 1891. And here the city received  
its knockout blow. The supreme  
court agreed with the lower court  
here, that the franchise had been is-  
sued to the gas company in good  
faith and that it could not be made  
to abide by a contradictory ordi-  
nance.

But to the present situation. There  
are other stipulations provided for  
in the notice to the old company's con-  
sumers. Forty cents a thousand will  
be charged; the notice says, only  
when the service is for sixty days or  
less when the charge will be twenty-  
five per cent. additional.

The notice further stipulates that  
"A rate of one dollar per month will  
be charged where the amount of gas  
consumed is less than three thou-  
sand feet." All bills must be paid by  
the twelfth of the month, the notice  
says, else the gas will be turned off  
and a fee of fifty cents will be  
charged before the service is re-  
stored.

The Royal Neighbors' degree team  
have received their new uniforms,  
and the local camp of Royal Neigh-  
bors are preparing for a class adop-  
tion in the near future.

# I. & C. TO INSTALL SIGNAL SYSTEM

Expert to Have Both Divisions  
Equipped With Simmen Inven-  
tion by January 1.

## APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION

Board of Directors Will go Further  
Than Orders—Safety Appli-  
ances Included.

Following an approval by the  
Railroad Commission of Indiana of  
the Simmen signal system as install-  
ed for test purposes on eighteen  
miles of the Indianapolis & Cincin-  
nati traction line, several months  
ago, that road announces that under  
an order issued by the commission it  
will begin work immediately on the  
installation of the signal device over  
its entire system of 103 miles, says  
the Indianapolis Star.

This is the first order issued by the  
Railroad Commission in which any  
one system of signals has been ap-  
proved formally. The order as issued  
to the traction company calls for the  
installation of signals only on the  
Shelbyville division between Indi-  
anapolis and Greensburg, a distance  
of forty-five miles, the work to be  
completed by December 31, 1912.

Under a decision reached by Pres-  
ident C. L. Henry and the board of  
directors of the traction company it  
has been decided that the entire road  
shall be protected by the signal sys-  
tem. The contract has been award-  
ed to Northey-Plummer, Ltd., licens-  
ed for the Simmen system in the  
United States. The work will be un-  
der the personal supervision of P. J.  
Simmen, inventor of the system who  
has headquarters in Indianapolis.

The Simmen system has attracted  
considerable attention in the rail-  
road field and scores of operating  
officials of steam and electric lines  
from over the entire United States  
have visited Indianapolis to inspect it.  
The service as installed for demon-  
stration purposes on the I. & C. line  
is in the simplest form. In the work  
soon to be started the system will  
embody several new features, includ-  
ing an open switch protection which  
provides that when a switch is open  
the motorman of an approaching car  
will be warned by a red light signal  
in his car when he arrives within 2,-  
000 feet of the switch.

It is believed by Mr. Simmen that  
the entire mileage of the I. & C. sys-  
tem will be equipped by January 1.  
The material has been ordered and  
as soon as it arrives the work of in-  
stalling live wires and a third rail  
will be begun. In the meantime twelve  
cars of the company will be equipped  
with signal receiving devices.

The foundation of the Simmen sys-  
tem is the general control exercised  
over train movements on an entire  
division by which a train automati-  
cally makes a permanent record in  
the dispatcher's office of its progress  
over the road, and the dispatcher can  
signal "stop" or "proceed" and tele-  
phone direct to any train on his di-  
vision. The telegraph operator is  
dispensed with. The signal may be a  
fixed semaphore signal, a cab signal  
or any kind of a signal now in use.  
The electric switches by which the  
dispatcher controls signals, are in-  
terlocked in such a manner as to  
prevent a wrong clear signal being  
given. By using track circuits a  
train is blocked ahead, a broken rail,  
or an open switch automatically will  
flash the danger signal without the  
dispatcher's assistance.

Mr. Simmen announced yesterday  
that for demonstration purposes he  
soon will install on the eighteen  
miles of I. & C. line now equipped, a  
system by which the car will be  
stopped automatically should the  
motorman fail to heed his signal. By  
the new feature a danger signal is  
given on a car traveling at full  
speed at a point about half a mile be-  
fore entering a block or approaching  
a siding where another train is to be  
met. If the motorman obeys the sig-  
nal and gradually reduces speed and  
comes to a stop at the proper time  
nothing further happens. If, how-  
ever, the speed of the car is not re-  
duced, the brakes are applied auto-  
matically. The apparatus is also  
designed so that cars can be com-

pelled to reduce speed while going  
around curves.

The approval of the Simmen sys-  
tem and the probable approval of the  
general signal company's system, the  
latter as installed on a portion of the  
T. H. I. & E. lines, probably will re-  
sult in a general order being issued  
by the commission within a short  
time for the immediate installation  
of block signals on all interurban  
lines in Indiana.

# VETERANS URGED TO GO TO ENCAMPMENT

G. A. R. Department Commander Is-  
sues Notice About National  
Meeting in Los Angeles.

## HOOSIERS ON SPECIAL CAR

Department Commander W. E.  
Gorsuch of the Indiana G. A. R. has  
issued a general order urging Indi-  
ana veterans to attend the forty-  
sixth national encampment in Los  
Angeles, Cal., September 9-14. The  
Indiana contingent will leave Indi-  
anapolis in a special train, September  
4, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The  
train will pass through St. Louis,  
Kansas City, Williams, Ariz., and  
thence to Los Angeles, with a side  
trip to the Grand canyon if desired.  
The same order contains the in-  
formation that the following have  
been appointed to serve on the vis-  
iting committee to the Soldiers' and  
Sailors' Orphans Home in Knights-  
town, in addition to others already  
appointed: William Kinerk, Fort  
Wayne; Harlan P. Miller, Indianap-  
olis; E. M. Rinear, Bluffton. M. M.  
Jastus of Bluffton, and H. C. Mc-  
Maken of Ft. Wayne were named as  
additional members of the visiting  
committee to the State Soldiers'  
Home at Lafayette. A list of aids on  
the staff of the department com-  
mander was named in the order.

White stains on hardwood tables  
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olive oil as the salt will absorb, the  
mixture being allowed to stand for  
several hours and the wood being  
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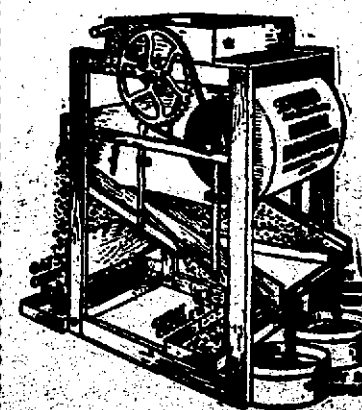
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